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Sir:

Attached hereto is a Certificate of Correction (Form PTO-1050) in connection with the above-identified patent.

The attached Certificate of Correction is being filed to correct the front page of the patent to reflect that the true date of RECEIPT OF 35 USC 371(c)(1), (c)(2) AND (c)(4) REQUIREMENTS is June 14, 2001. As evidence that this is the true date, Applicants enclose herewith a copy of the stamped postcard receipt (date stamped "June 14, 2001") indicating that the executed original Declaration and the Sequence Listing were filed on June 14, 2001 thereby fulfilling the 35 USC 371(c)(1), (c)(2) and (c)(4) requirements.

It is to be noted that the attached Certificate is being filed in order to correct an error that was clearly made in the printing of the Letters Patent by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office. Therefore, the issuance of a Certificate of Correction under 35 U.S.C. § 254 without charge to the patentee is respectfully requested.

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